



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Christopher J. Wood et al.) PATENT APPLICATION
Serial No.: 10/623,625) SEA0820P1041US (SC-169 CON)
Filed: July 21, 2003) Group Art Unit: 3727
For: ELASTOMERIC HINGE FOR A)
CLOSURE LID)
Examiner: Lien M. Ngo)

RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner For Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the non-final Official Action dated August 31, 2004.

An attached Transmittal Letter presents a fee calculation and authorizes a charge to a Deposit Account if required.

--Petition For Extension Of Time

Enclosed is a Petition and a check for the fee for a three-month extension of time to respond.